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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yasufumi Kaneda

SERIAL NO.: 09/937,839

FILED: February 21, 2002

FOR: VIRUS ENVELOPE VECTOR FOR GENE TRANSFER

EXAMINER: Whiteman, B.

ART UNIT: 1635

CONFIRMATION NO. 7050

Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of Time (if Appropriate)

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Commissioner for Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the decision of the Examiner dated February 17, 2004, rejecting claims 1-9, 11-14, 16, 18, 20-22 and 24-33. The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ Fee for Notice of Appeal (37 CFR §1.17(b))

☒ Large Entity: \$330.00

☐ Petition for Extension of Time. Applicant hereby petitions for a *-Month Extension of Time, to extend the period for response to *.

Extension Fee (37 CFR §1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

☐ Other Than Small Entity:

☐ \$110.00 ☐ \$410.00 ☐ \$930.00 ☐ \$1450.00 ☐ \$1970.00

☐ Small Entity:

☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$205.00 ☐ \$465.00 ☐ \$725.00 ☐ \$985.00

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this Notice of Appeal.

☒ Fee Payment

☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$330.00 covering the fee due.

☒ Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment in fees for timely filing of this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

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